# Welcome to Harmonie State Park!

OCTOBER 2009 The nature center offers displays and programs for folks of all ages! Located in the campground, come visit us!

**Nature Center Hours:** Saturdays 9am - 6 pm Some Sundays 9 am -? pm

> To ensure quality programming, we ask a responsible adult to attend any field event with children under 12, such as hikes.

Craft Fair in the Park! Join family and friends as you shop, and check out our petting zoo, fire truck tours, smoke house and food booths! Get a "taste of Harmonie" at 4 pm with samples from the cook off and a bowl of ham and beans all for just \$2! Bean soup ready at noon!

Band in evening: "Bridges" playing all your easy listening faves!

Haunted Harmonie Prepare to be scared silly with fun, candy, Family and friends! Games, trick or treating, and lots of fun await you...if you dare!

Hayrides Friday and Saturday from 7-9:30 pm

### Saturday

**3** 10 am Hoosier Quest sign up NC 1 pm Sweet Life of Honey Bees NC 4 pm Water Wonders 7 pm Owl Prowl CG

**10** 10am Hoosier Quest sign up NC 1 pm What is That? game 4 pm Nature Craft NC 7pm Batty Hike CG

## Sunday

4 10 am Nature Songs & Stories NC



**11** 10 am Leaf Prints

NC

17 10-5 Craft Fair and more at the pool parking lot! Noon Dutch oven cookoff kickoff 4 pm "Taste of Harmonie" pool 6-9 pm Hayrides in the campground

**24**10am Hoosier Quest sign up NC 1 pm Creature Feature NC NC 4 pm Nature Bingo 6 pm Sunset on the Wabash HikeNC

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31 10am Games at the River WR 1-3 pm Trick or Treat the campround 5 pm Pumpkin Judging at the NC 5-7 pm Haunted House at the Pool 7-9:30 pm Hayrides through the campground \$1 gets you on!

After dark: campsite decorating Spookiest, Funniest, Most Original And People's Choice!

#### **Location Key:**

**NC**- Nature Center **A**-Amphitheater (behind sites 75 & 76)

CG- Campground Gatehouse WR-Wabash River Picnic Area

All programs are free and open to the public. An adult must accompany children under 12 on all Naturalist-led hikes and programs not occurring at the Nature Center. Your supervision makes the program great for everyone.

## **Hoosier Quest Series!**

Remember the Smokey and Junior Naturalist patches of yesteryear? Here's the newly revamped patch program! Anyone ages 5 through adult can sign up! Our new Hoosier Quest series can be completed on your own time at any State Park or Reservoir. There are two beginning levels, Discover and Connect. Any family group can earn the Explore pin. Find out more on Saturday mornings, or ask the Naturalist.



#### We're on the Web!

Now, you can find all park and reservoir property schedules on the internet! Begin your search at:

www.in.gov/dnr/parklake/interpretiveservices

NC-Nature Center CG-Campground WR- Wabash River and A- Ampitheater in CG <u>Program Descriptions: all programs are 30-45 min unless otherwise specified</u>

**Batty Hike:** Learn fact and fiction is this fun, fall walk all about flippy, flappy buggy bats! CG **Creature Feature:** Get an in depth look at the creature of choice at the Nature Center! **Dutch Oven Cookoff:** Enter your best main, dessert or soup and show it off in our new cookoff! Get details and registration at the office or nature center! Recipe must be submitted, and samples given!

**Haunted House**: New Harmony Science Club presents Panic at the Pool!! Small admission. **Hayrides:** \$1 gets you on the wagon for a relaxing ride through the campground. Meet at camp gate.

**Leafy Prints:** Pound out the natural dyes of colorful leaves with a hammer to decorate a cloth! NC **Nature Bingo:** Win some prizes and learn some cool things as you go! NC

Nature Songs & Stories: Nature stories and songs to keep even the most fidgety 5 year-old entertained! NC

**Owl Prowl:** Take a walk on the wild side as we hoot for owls of the night on this easy hike. CG **People's Choice:** Bring your change and vote on your favorite halloween campsites! Money goes in to the donation account for future events, winner gets free camping! Look for the table around the campground at Haunted Harmonie.

Pumpkin Judging: Bring your decorated or carved pumpkin and enter for a prize! NC Scavenger Hunt: A list of things to find for you or a few, everyone gets a prize! NC Sunset on the Wabash Hike: a 2 mile round trip hike to see the sunset on the river, and back.NC The Sweet Life of Honey Bees: The mystery of honey bees is revealed in this sweet program. NC Water Wonders: Join with others on this incredible journey through the water cycle! NC What is That? Game: See if you know what's in our museum of the weird and wacky! NC We hope you enjoy your visit and come back again really soon!

There's something for everyone at the Nature Center. Only open until the end of October, don't miss us!

